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Message

Re: United States Patent Application No. 10/829,253
Our Ref.: 10458-20US SC/sm

Please see attached Amendment Transmittal Letter, Petition for Extension of Time and
 Amendment with a deadline of December 24, 2006.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Attorney's Docket No. 10458-20US SC/sm
Serial No. 10/829,253	Filing Date April 22, 2004	Examiner Terence Boes	Group Art Unit 3682
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status.
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	(1)	(2)	(3)		SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY			
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					+\$180 -	\$ 0		+\$360 -	\$ n/a
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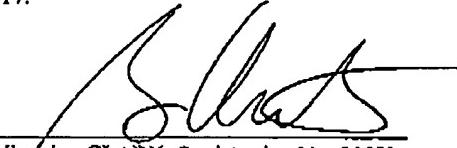
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